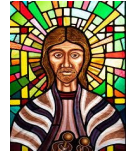


**Newsletter for The Catholic Community of  
The Annunciation of Rushcliffe**  
Serving the Eucharistic Community of:  
Holy Spirit West Bridgford, and Our Lady of Grace, Cotgrave.  
St Anne's, Radcliffe on Trent, and St Margaret Clitherow, Keyworth.



**Twenty-Sixth Sunday of the Year- Sunday 25th September 2022**

**A new Baptism Course Starts this Autumn**

A new Baptism course for parents starts next month on **Thursday 6th October 7pm-8.30pm** at St Margaret Clitherow Church, Keyworth. It will be one session with two Catechists.

There will be another session on **Tuesday 18th October at Holy Spirit at 7pm-8.30pm.**

If you are looking to have your child baptized at any of the churches in our parish. Please

Contact Catherine at: [office@holyspiritwb.co.uk](mailto:office@holyspiritwb.co.uk)

**Volunteers are urgently needed at Holy Spirit**

We urgently need people to serve tea and coffee after 11am Mass on Sunday.

If you can help, please contact Catherine at the parish office. Email [office@holyspiritwb.co.uk](mailto:office@holyspiritwb.co.uk)

**Nottingham and Notts Refugee Forum**

The next monthly Refugee Collection in Radcliffe runs from 26th September 4pm to 30th September. Please contact Celia on 07808 211018 OR 0115 9333022. For information on items they are in need of and details of collection points. Alternatively leave donations in church. Thank you for your support which is very much appreciated

**NEW VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - OUR LADY of GRACE**

Lists and further details are on the Church notice-board, for the following rotas.

**Eucharistic Ministers - Readers - Altar Servers -**

**Counters - Refreshments - Flower Arranging [cost of flowers reimbursed]**

Please consider signing up for one [or more] of these and sharing the load of our small group of volunteers.

**Kathleen Parsons RIP**

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Kathleen Parsons who died recently.

Her Funeral Service will be on Friday 7th October at Wilford Hill Chapel 9.30am

Please keep her family in your prayers.



**Confirmation at St Anne's**

The following young people will be confirmed by Bishop Patrick at St Anne's on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October. Please support them with your prayers as they take this important step on their journey of faith.

**Alex Bouckley, Michael Bouckley, Isabella Davis, Lottie Davis, Finley Dixon, Eva Dolan, Luca Dolan, Ryan Johnson, Sophie Keogh, James Martin, William Moore.**

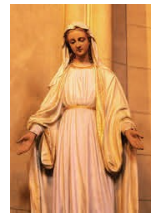
**8 Day Catholic Pilgrimage to the Holy Land 2023**

Your Spiritual leader is Fr. John Martin. £1,239 per person Half board. From 9th-16th March 2023 departing Luton/Manchester. Leaflets at the back of church.

For details contact Myra Boon- Mob 07743 980771

Tel: 01793 881166

**OUR LADY OF VISITATION:** Next month of October, is a month of special devotion to Mary, it is hoped to foster family prayer and the recitation of the rosary for the intention of peace in our homes and in the world.



At the Holy Spirit Church, the focus for this will be the statue of Our Blessed Lady of the Visitation. The statue of Our Lady is passed from household to household, family to family it gives a chance for those families to come together in prayer for peace, perhaps saying the rosary together. At the back of Church there is a list for you to sign up for this.

We encourage prayer and the recitation of the rosary in all our churches and homes during this period.

**NEW FRIENDSHIP GROUP**

Cheese and Wine Evening at the Holy Spirit Social Centre

**On Wednesday 28th September at 7pm**

**ALL WELCOME**

The first official meeting of the Friendship Group will be on **Wednesday 5th October at 2pm** in the Holy Spirit Social Centre. It will be an informal meeting for people to express their ideas on how the group should go forward.



**CHILDREN'S LITURGY AT HOLY SPIRIT**

There is no Children's Liturgy this at Holy Spirit at 11am Mass as unfortunately we do not have enough volunteers. We urgently need new helpers. Please speak to Fr. John or Fr. Liam if you can help. Or email the office.

Email: [office@holyspiritwb.co.uk](mailto:office@holyspiritwb.co.uk)

**Diary for Week Commencing 25th September**

**Twenty-Sixth Sunday of the Year**

<p><b>Sun 25th September</b> Twenty-Sixth Sunday of the Year</p>	<p><b>St Anne's (Sat)</b> 4.30pm Mass- 9.30am Mass- Cardinal Zena Mission Priests</p> <p><b>St Margaret of Clitherow</b> 9.30am Mass-</p> <p><b>Holy Spirit (Sat)</b> 6.30pm-Ivor and Janice Amos RIP 11am Mass- Kathleen Margaret Vellacott RIP</p> <p><b>Our Lady of Grace</b> 11am Mass-</p>
<p><b>Mon 26th September</b> Feria</p>	<p><b>St Anne's</b> 9.30am Mass- Fr. Anthony Franey's Intentions</p>
<p><b>Tues 27th September</b> St Vincent de Paul, priest, ( Mem.</p>	<p><b>Our Lady of Grace</b> 9.30am Mass- ( Rosary before Mass )</p> <p><b>St Margaret Clitherow</b> 9.30am Mass</p>
<p><b>Wed 28th September</b> Feria</p>	<p><b>Holy Spirit</b> No Mass 7pm- Cheese and Wine evening for the launch of the new Friendship Group (Holy Spirit Social Centre)</p>
<p><b>Thurs 29th September</b> Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels (FEAST)</p>	<p><b>Holy Spirit</b> 9.30am Mass- Jim Pacey RIP (Rosary after Mass)</p> <p><b>St Anne's</b> 9.30am Mass- Barry Sumner -Thanksgiving</p>
<p><b>Fri 30th September</b> St Jerome, priest and doctor ( Mem.)</p>	<p><b>St Anne's</b> 11-11.50am Exposition Midday Mass (Soup and Sandwiches after Mass)</p> <p><b>Holy Spirit</b> 6.30pm- Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 7.20pm- Benediction 7.30pm Mass-</p>
<p><b>Sat 1st October</b> St Therese of the Child Jesus, virgin and doctor (Mem.)</p>	<p><b>St Annes</b> 3.45pm-4.15pm- Confessions 4.30pm Mass-</p> <p><b>Holy Spirit</b> 5.30pm- 6.20pm-Confessions 6.30pm Mass-</p>
<p><b>Sun 2nd October</b> Twenty-Seventh Sunday of the Year</p>	<p><b>St Anne's</b> 9.30am Mass- Tony Crump's Intentions</p> <p><b>St Margaret of Clitherow</b> 9.30am Mass- Ann Neely RIP</p> <p><b>Holy Spirit</b> 11am Mass- Ernie Spencer RIP 2pm Baptism- Theo Allen</p> <p><b>Our Lady of Grace</b> 11am Mass</p>

### Community of the Annunciation

All documentation from all our four churches has now been presented to the Bishop's Secretary.

Fr. John Martin has to formally petition Bishop Patrick to create one new parish out of the current four parishes. The Bishop then has to consult with the Council of Priests, a group of about 20 priests representing all the areas of our Diocese, before he can make a final decision.

We will keep you informed with the process.

The next new PPC will be at the Holy Spirit on Tuesday 4th October 7.30pm. If you would like to represent your church please speak with Fr. John or current PPC Chairs.

### **St Anne's Parish Team – (Formerly Parish Council)**

Minutes are now available following the recent meeting. Find out what is going on at St Anne's. Email Secretary Denise Doyle for your copy ([denisedoyle10@gmail.com](mailto:denisedoyle10@gmail.com))

### **Streaming of Weekend Masses at Holy Spirit and St Anne's**

To all our sick and housebound please join us for Mass online and connect with our community.

To watch Mass at Holy Spirit, please go to the website.

<https://www.holyspiritwb.org/live/>

*We apologise for the technical difficulties out of our control last Sunday at Holy Spirit.*

You can also join the 9.30am Mass at St Anne's church on a Sunday if you would like to participate in Mass earlier. Please see the YouTube link below.

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCbIV5W65RcwWDAb81Nys3tw>

There will be an SVP Collection at St Margaret Clitherow this Sunday.

### **Mass Intentions Update–**

You can email your Mass Intentions to Catherine at:

**office@holyspiritwb.co.uk** and pay your Mass stipend online at Holy Spirit or Our Lady of Grace, please write Mass Stipend on payment. Email the office for more information. You can also complete the Mass Intention form on the Holy Spirit website too.

But at St Margaret Clitherow and St Anne's please hand in your Mass stipends (payment) in an envelope to Fr. John or Fr. Liam who will deliver your envelope to the parish office.

**Please make sure your Intention and contact details are written clearly on the envelope.**

### **Holy Spirit Local Committee (formerly Holy Spirit Parish Pastoral Council)**

The new Local Committee are looking for new volunteers (preferably at least two) to join the Committee in order to have oversight of matters local to the running of Holy Spirit church, including for example, oversight of the care/maintenance of the church, social centre and presbytery buildings, fund-raising events (e.g., Christmas Fayre), social events (e.g., International Supper evenings) as and when the need arises. The Local Committee would also be important as a point of contact for all members of the congregation and groups who may wish to raise matters with the new Parish Pastoral Council for the Parish of the Annunciation.

Please contact the Holy Spirit PPC Chair, Angela Fenn, if you feel you would be interested in becoming a part of the Holy Spirit Local Committee  
Email: [angelaworsfold@hotmail.com](mailto:angelaworsfold@hotmail.com)

**For Safeguarding issues** at the Holy Spirit Church: Please contact Margaret Joby.

Email: [margaret.jobypsr@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:margaret.jobypsr@dioceseofnottingham.uk) Tel: **07513 725480**

**Newsletter:** if you would like to receive the newsletter by email please let us know.

Please email Catherine [office@holyspiritwb.co.uk](mailto:office@holyspiritwb.co.uk)

The Newsletter deadline is next **Wednesday Midday**

### **OUR CHURCHES**

The Holy Spirit	Our Lady of Grace	St Ann's Church	St Margaret Clitherow
Melton Road	Candelby Lane	New Road	Willow Brook
West Bridgford	Cotgrave	Radcliffe- on-Trent	Keyworth
Nottingham	Nottingham	Nottingham	Nottingham
NG2 7JW	NG12 3JG	NG12 2AJ	NG12 5BB

### **CLERGY TEAM**

Parish Priest– Fr John Martin Tel: 0115 933 2738 /9814271 Email: [john.martin@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:john.martin@dioceseofnottingham.uk)

Assistant Priest Fr. Liam Carpenter – Tel: 0115 9814271 Email [liam.carpenter@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:liam.carpenter@dioceseofnottingham.uk)

Parish Office - Holy Spirit Presbytery, 29 Charnwood Grove, West Bridgford, Nottingham NG2 7NT.

**PARISH ADMIN TEAM** Catherine Giavarini Tel: 0115 9814271 Email: [office@holyspiritwb.co.uk](mailto:office@holyspiritwb.co.uk)

For hall bookings, contact parish office.

**CAFOD's Pakistan Floods Appeal** please go to <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/the-community-of-the-annunciation-of-rushcliffe-cafod-fundraising-page1?newPage=True> to make a donation on the parish Just Giving page or you can put a donation into one of the cardboard CAFOD box's at the back of the church and hand it into the parish office or to one of the CAFOD group members. Thank You

### Traidcraft Our Lady of Grace

The next Fairtrade stall will be on the 9th of October, but please see me at Church if you need anything before then, or if you would like me to order you anything from the Traidcraft website, which will save you paying postage. The address is

[www.traidcraftshop.co.uk](http://www.traidcraftshop.co.uk) and there are lots of lovely and different gifts available.



### Friday Soup and Roll

St Anne's will be serving a weekly lunch of soup and roll for £2 each Friday after midday Mass. We need a willing group of volunteers to provide this service. Any expenses will be re-imbursed. Each week we need two helpers to provide home made or tinned soup and two helpers to serve and look after the guests.

Are you willing to help? Please add your name and contact details to the list in the porch or - better still -

[email.annunciation@bolandlee.plus.com](mailto:email.annunciation@bolandlee.plus.com) The more the merrier.

(Sorry we are not able to cater for those with allergies or vegan diets but you are still welcome to a cuppa, biscuit and chat!)

### Missio at St Anne's

The latest copy of Mission Today will be available at weekend Masses. You can also visit [missio.org.uk](http://missio.org.uk) to learn more about the Pope's Charity for World Mission.

**CHILDREN IN DISTRESS** The shoebox appeal for this wonderful charity is going ahead again this year. The charity has not only been helping children in its hospices and care centres but supporting Ukrainian refugees by taking aid to the border and providing transport back to Bucharest. The response from parishioners in Keyworth and Cotgrave



has always been very generous and over the last couple of years I have been delighted to receive boxes from St Anne's and Holy Spirit too.

However I appreciate that people's financial situation may be quite different this year.

Thank you to all who have already taken the leaflets. If anyone has any spare empty shoe boxes please put them with the leaflets for someone else to use.

Copies of the charity's magazine VISION ( with an article and photos of last year's box distribution) and shoebox information leaflets are available at each church if you wish to participate. The closing date for boxes is Sunday October 23rd.

For further information please contact Nuala : Tel: 0115 9374470 / [nmsnow2000@gmail.com](mailto:nmsnow2000@gmail.com)

## THE GREAT BIG GREEN WEEK

Can you be part of the great big green week from 24th September – 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2022. It's the UK's biggest ever celebration of community action to tackle climate change and protect nature.

Perhaps you can try going plastic-free, meat-free, take shorter showers to save water, turn off lights. Find out more about what you can do to protect nature and share the information with others.



Perhaps you can put on a jumper instead of turning the heating up, just like the penguins.

### Live Simply so that others can Simply Live

**Missio at Holy Spirit-** Please return your Missio boxes in early October. Thank you.

**Missio for St Margaret Clitherow-** Jack Pye will be counting and banking the monies in the Missio red boxes during October. He will ring box holders early w/c 2nd October and arrange to collect boxes from their homes and then return them.

Many thanks for the continued support for this important Missionary work. If anyone would like to have a red box please contact Jack **0115 9374639**.

**READING THE BIBLE' IS BACK!** Tuesdays 2-3 pm at St Anne's Church Radcliffe, starting **27<sup>th</sup> September**.

Why not come along to this ecumenical hour of Reading the Bible aloud as we share thoughts and insights in an informal way? All welcome!

There is no commitment to come every week. Just bring your Bible!

**Holy Spirit Cricket Club** Thanks to everyone who played cricket for the Parish cricket team this year. We had a very successful season, at least in the number of games played and fun had, if not always in the results! We would very much welcome new players of any standard (including juniors from age 13) from all four of our Churches. If you would like to find out more, contact David at

[David.Paton@nottingham.ac.uk](mailto:David.Paton@nottingham.ac.uk)

### ST MARGARET CLITHEROW TRAIDCRAFT -

Thanks to all who support the sale of fairly traded goods. Your purchases help people WORK their way out of poverty which can only be a good thing! Just a reminder that there is a good stock of items including ground coffee, strength 3 and 4, beans, tea, marmalade, muesli, chutney, curry sauce, dates, plain chocolate and mint cream chocolate bars and of course a wide selection of cards from 90p. Just buying 1 item makes a difference to people's lives.

**FRIARY** send many thanks for all the tins, packets and toiletries recently donated. Please keep filling up the box in the narthex.